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SUBJECT: PARM - AMENDMENT TO ANNUAL POLICY AND RESOURCE
ASSESSMENT

1. USIA REVIEW OF ANNUAL COUNTRY PROGRAM HAS ALERTED
EMBASSY TO THE OMISSION OF LAW OF THE SEAS AS AN INTEREST
OF THE USG IN ITS RELATIONS WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF NEW
ZEALAND. CLEARLY, THE UNDERSTANDING OF THE GNZ AND ITS
PEOPLE FOR AMERICAN LOS POLICY AND OBJECTIVES SHOULD BE
INCLUDED AMONG U.S. POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND SCIENTIFIC
INTERESTS.

2. (A) OBJECTIVE: THE FULL UNDERSTANDING OF AND SUPPORT
FOR USG LOS POLICY BY NEW ZEALAND GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND
OPINION LEADERS.

(B) COURSES OF ACTION: MAXIMUM SHARING WITH GNZ IN
WELLINGTON, WASHINGTON AND NEW YORK OF U.S. LOS POLICY;
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REGULAR CONSULTATIONS WITH GNZ LOS DELEGATION ON MATTERS
OF STRATEGY FOR ACHIEVEMENT OF MUTUAL LOS OBJECTIVES;
FREE FLOW OF U.S. VIEWS ON LOS ISSUES THROUGH NZ MEDIA;
AND USIS-SPONSORED PROGRAMS AND SPEAKERS SUPPORTIVE OF
U.S. LOS POLICY.

(C) ISSUES: NEW ZEALAND IS A PACIFIC ISLAND NATION WHOSE

PROPOSED 200-MILE ECONOMIC ZONE WILL BE THE FOURTH LARGEST IN THE WORLD. IT EXERTS SIGNIFICANT INFLUENCE OVER THE SMALLER PACIFIC ISLAND NATIONS AND HAS BEEN PLAYING A COORDINATING ROLE AMONG THE SOUTH PACIFIC FORUM COUNTRIES IN AN EFFORT TO ACHIEVE A CONCERTED APPLICATION OF 200-MILE ZONES THROUGHOUT THE REGION LATER THIS YEAR. THE REGIONAL OCEANS ARE RICH AS FISHERIES AND REPORTEDLY CONTAIN NATURAL RESOURCES OF LARGE SCIENTIFIC AND COMMERCIAL INTEREST. SELDEN

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